

Minutes of Lost Lake Sewer Committee
October 15, 2009

Present: Carol Quinn, Angela Garger, Tom Doyle and Tom Orcutt

Old Business

1. Review and approve September 24 meeting minutes.
2. Rosemary has been working on the mailing list for the income survey. There was discussion about how to get the correct list for the mailing and how to make sure that the residence list is used and not the owners list. Rosemary has started working on a list but there are still some issues to resolve. She has the data and GIS Map and is getting the process started.
 - a. Tom D. suggested having a separate meeting to try and generate a list for the mailing. He has compiled a lot of data already from the assessor's information. Tom D. suggested that we could use that for the street names and then go to the town clerk and have them pull the list.
 - b. There are parcels which cannot be built on so they will not be considered in the sewer project.

New Business

1. Town meeting is October 19. We would like to have information and handouts available for the meeting.
 - a. Map of proposed income survey area
 - b. Sample letter that will be mailed out to hand out
 - c. Sample of the income survey itself to hand out
2. Update on soil testing
 - a. Rosemary said the soil test results, (at Grotonwood), were promising. Visual and hand testing was done at Grotonwoods on two different parcels. Two hydro-geologists from Woodard and Curran came out do to the testing.
 - b. One of the sites had issues with topography and wetlands so it would not be usable.
 - c. The other site was more promising. It was a 2.5 acre site, (off of Loomis Road). They used a hand auger to get the soil samples. The soils here appear to be very good for discharge. The town will look at working with Grotonwood to get additional adjacent land to this site. (There is a brook on this parcel and it would be better to get some additional land so that the site could be moved away from the brook.)
3. The next step is to have more extensive digging done at the site for further testing. Permissions will need to be obtained for this next step.
 - a. W & C is working on a scope of work for this with the DEP. Their approval will be needed before proceeding with this step.

- b. Tom O. is working with Grotonwoods to get permission for this next step. Tom O thinks we will have an access agreement within the next day or two.
 - c. More extensive digging will help to determine where the affluent will go. Tom O. and Rosemary think we will have results from this process by the end of October.
4. Once this process is completed the next step would be to put in monitoring wells.

Action Items

- 1. Community outreach about the project. On going
 - a. LLSC website
 - b. Newspaper Advertisements
 - c. Cable TV
- 2. Angela will also find out if we can have information about the income survey sent out to those on their email list. Angela will also find out if we can get a link from the GLA website to the LLSC website.
- 3. Tom D. will find out when the next Mountain Lakes Club meeting is being held. We may want to get a place on their agenda to present information about the income survey. Tom will also find out if we can have information about the income survey sent out to those on their email list.
- 4. A sticker or stamp needs to be created for the envelopes for our income survey mailings. On going.

Adjourn: 8:40pm

Committee Member Signatures:
